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**MEMORANDUM**

To: Court of Appeals Judges  
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U.S. Bankruptcy Judges  
U.S. Magistrate Judges  
Unit Executives  
Court Clerks  
Federal Public Defenders  
Members of the Federal, State, and Local Bars in the Seventh and Eighth Circuits

From: Millie Adams, Eighth Circuit Executive *m.a.*

Re: **SAVE THESE DATES – August 11-15, 2008**  
2008 Eighth Circuit Judicial Conference in **CHICAGO**

The 2008 Eighth Circuit Judicial Conference will be held **August 11-15, 2008**, at the **Chicago Marriott Downtown Magnificent Mile**. This will be a full conference for all judges and members of the Bar. It will be family friendly, so bring your loved ones with you.

Although the complete program is still forming, there will be a number of distinguished speakers, including Associate Justice Samuel A. Alito, Jr., of the United States Supreme Court.

The Judicial Conference Committee elected to hold the 2008 conference in the City of Chicago because of its convenient location and many world-class amenities and attractions. This will be the first time the Eighth Circuit has held the conference in the Seventh Circuit. Your support of and attendance at this event will make the conference a true success and will be greatly appreciated by the federal judiciary.

To assist us in necessary planning, it would be appreciated if you let us know now if you are likely to attend the 2008 Eighth Circuit Judicial Conference in Chicago. Also, please submit names and addresses of your colleagues who you believe would be interested in the conference so as to permit us to also extend to them an invitation to attend.

Your responses should be sent by e-mail to [judconf@ca8.uscourts.gov](mailto:judconf@ca8.uscourts.gov). You may also contact us at the Circuit Executive's Office, 111 South Tenth Street, Room 26.325, St. Louis, MO 63102, or by telephoning my Assistant Circuit Executive, Michelle Braun, at (314) 244-2622. Thank you.